Wanderers' League Cup-tie is off

WYCOMBE Wanderers' proposed visit to Staines in the fourth round of the Rothmans Isthmian League Cup tonight (Thursday) has been postponed. Staines are behind on their league programme and as well as playing on Tuesday, they have matches on Friday, Saturday and Monday this week.

Because of these fixtures, the league decided to re-arrange the cup game against Wanderers for Monday, April 18.

The Blues, therefore, have only one match over the Easter break — Saturday's visit to

Hitchin in the league.

After their disappointing defeat at Croydon last week, the Blues must win at Topfield if they are to maintain the pressure on Dagenham and Enfield, Manager John Reardon is likely to bring in Dylan Evans for Steve Hill but Tony Horseman is still out of reckoning with a leg injury. Keith Mead has slight ligament trouble but should be fit.

Hitchin, who had a fine run in this year's F.A. Cup, have been rising steadily up the table recently and a 3-0 home win over Dagenham, when all three goals came in the last nine minutes, is just one sighter to their current form. They also won 3-1 at Croydon on Monday and have the advantage of a 1-0 win at Loakes Park this season in September.

There was confusion last week regarding the mid-week result between Staines and Enfield. The final score was a 1-1 draw and not a 1-0 win to Staines as stated in some newspapers. This means that Enfield are six points ahead while Wycombe and Dagenham have two games in hand. At the moment Wycombe

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have the best goal difference of the three — 29 — while Dagenham's is 25 and Enfield's 22.

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